



Nursing Forward

A publication of the Wisconsin Board of Nursing (BON)

Chair's Corner

Greetings from the Board of Nursing. Thank you for taking the time to stay informed by reading the Spring 2018 edition of Nursing Forward. We would also welcome your attendance at the open session of the monthly Board of Nursing meeting, as well as Legislative Committee meetings. You will find the meeting schedule and an agenda for each meeting at the Board of Nursing website. <https://dsps.wi.gov/Pages/BoardsCouncils/Nursing/Meetings.aspx>

The length of the public session varies dependent on the number of agenda items submitted, so I would encourage you to review the agenda in advance. During the public session we hold elections, review annual reports, and discuss topics specific to licensure, legislation, and schools of nursing. As an example, in March we discussed two school approval applications and the 2017 NCLEX scores. If you would like to review the list of NCLEX scores, you may find them here: <https://dsps.wi.gov/Pages/Professions/NursingSchools.aspx>.



Sheryl Krause, MS, RN, CEN, ACNS-BC

Schools that do not achieve an 80% pass rate for first time test takers or all test takers are required to provide an explanation or analysis of NCLEX pass rates and their plan to meet the NCLEX pass rate standard. If a school does not reach 80% for first time test takers but meets or exceeds 80% for all test takers, the board reviews the submission, but no formal action is taken.

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NCSBN Midyear Conference March 5-7, 2018

By: Elizabeth Smith-Houskamp, PhD, RN

This year's midyear conference was held in Chicago with many pertinent topics presented and discussed. Time was spent examining legislative procedures to develop effective strategies ensuring bill passage. Woven through this dialogue was updated Enhanced Nurse Licensure Compact (eNLC) information. To date, 30 states have adopted the eNLC with 10 additional states at various legislative stages. It is very exciting to see the momentum surrounding this effort, but further dialogue and work will continue around the specifics of interpretation and application of the eNLC.

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The explanation and plan submitted by schools not meeting the 80% threshold for all test takers are subject to board approval.

In addition to the above topics, updates from the National Council of State Boards of Nursing (NCSBN) are provided

and discussed during the open session of the board meeting. The Wisconsin Board of Nursing is a member board of NCSBN. Board members and staff regularly participate in NCSBN meetings and educational events to learn about national trends and strategies for protecting the public through education, licensure, legislation, and discipline.

Board of Nursing Membership and Staff Assignments

The Board of Nursing consists of 9 members. The members are appointed by the Governor and confirmed by the Senate.

Board Members:

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Peter Kallio, Vice Chairperson - Registered Nurse Member (Muskego)

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Jennifer Eklof, Licensed Practical Nurse Member (Madison)

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Department of Safety and Professional Services (DSPS)

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The dates and times of the Board of Nursing meetings are announced on the DSPS website at <https://dsps.wi.gov/pages/Home.aspx>. Meeting agendas are posted approximately one week prior to the meeting.

A wealth of useful information is available on the Department of Safety and Professional Services website at: <https://dsps.wi.gov/pages/Home.aspx>

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Dr. Akiko Maeda offered the keynote presenting a framework on effective workforce skill assessments to ensure a patient-centered focus. Following Dr. Maeda's lecture and panel discussion exploring her work, the Marijuana Regulatory Guidelines Committee offered education on THC, preliminary information related to current testing limitations and suggestions states might utilize to guide dialogue around the regulatory implications of marijuana use. Other noteworthy presentations were the utilization of simulation, causes and consequences of occupational licensing, and an overview of various state's monitoring programs.

I observed a few themes from the conference: 1. The NCSBN was very

aware of current issues and offered relevant education and dialogue around topics. 2. Generally speaking, the current political sentiments are demonstrating anti-regulation trends which will require boards to critically evaluate procedures to continue to ensure safe and appropriate practices. 3. There was enthusiasm about the compact and the speed of adoption to date, recognizing there is more work to be done in this arena.

As a member new to the Wisconsin board as of spring 2017, I appreciated the opportunity to attend and learn at this conference. Networking with professionals from other states allowed me the opportunity to begin to understand both similarities and differences among states related to practice and regulation. I felt encouraged that so many nurses as well

as non-nurse board members from across the nation gathered with the purpose to create an environment that supports safe nursing regulations which protects the public.

Board of Nursing Legislative Committee Update

By: Sheryl Krause, RN, MS, CEN, ACNS-BC

The BON Legislative Committee has completed revisions to N1, Approval for Schools of Nursing, and awaits final approval. The emergency rules for the enhanced Nurse Licensure Compact (eNLC) are in place. Overall, the transition from the original Nurse Licensure Compact to the eNLC has gone well. Please see the Announcements section of the Board of Nursing web page for more information about the eNLC: <https://dsps.wi.gov/Pages/BoardsCouncils/Nursing/Default.aspx>

Enforcement Actions of the Board of Nursing

The Board of Nursing, with help from staff at the Department of Safety and Professional Services, can take action against nurses licensed in the state to help protect the profession and the citizens of Wisconsin. You may search for any of the Board Orders listed below on the Department's website by using this link:

Board Order Search: <https://dsps.wi.gov/Pages/SelfService/OrdersDisciplinaryActions.aspx>

Disciplinary options available to the Board:

Reprimand: A public warning of the licensee for a violation.

Limitation of License: Imposes conditions and requirements upon the licensee, imposes restrictions on the scope of practice, or both.

Suspension: Completely and absolutely withdraws and withholds for a period of time all rights, privileges and authority previously conferred by the credential.

Revocation: To completely and absolutely terminate the credential and all rights, privileges and authority previously conferred by the credential.

Non-disciplinary options available to the Board:

Administrative Warning: Issued if violation is of a minor nature, a first occurrence and the warning will adequately protect the public. The issuance of an Administrative Warning is public information, however the reason for issuance is not.

Remedial Education Order: Issued when there is reason to believe that the deficiency can be corrected with remedial education, while sufficiently protecting the public.

Board Orders

January 2018 - April 2018

Order Number	Order Date	Respondent	Profession
ORDER0005733	4/26/2018	Campbell, James R.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0005732	4/26/2018	Dubois, Timothy M.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0005694	4/25/2018	Summar, Ray D.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0003895	4/24/2018	Cavill, Heidi M.	Registered Nurse
LS09120313NUR	4/23/2018	Schlesner, Samantha K.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0005546	4/23/2018	Green-Schlafer, Stephanie S.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0002350	4/23/2018	Elliott, Matthew S.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0004583	4/23/2018	Bailey, Brian K.	Licensed Practical Nurse
ORDER0004904	4/23/2018	Addison, Amanda S.	Advanced Practice Nurse Prescriber
ORDER0004904	4/23/2018	Addison, Amanda S.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0005547	4/23/2018	Heather, Matthew D.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0004582	4/23/2018	Ahrens, Corinne M.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0005698	4/12/2018	Hofschulz, Lisa C.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0004747	4/12/2018	Bohl, Christine R.	Licensed Practical Nurse
ORDER0005695	4/12/2018	Krueger, Debra J.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0005697	4/12/2018	Wolf, Jessica M.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0005696	4/12/2018	Carpenter, Barbara M.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0004747	4/12/2018	Bohl, Christine R.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0003272	4/12/2018	Kleibor, Wendy A.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0005698	4/12/2018	Hofschulz, Lisa C.	Advanced Practice Nurse Prescriber
ORDER0005694	4/12/2018	Summar, Ray D.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0005693	4/12/2018	Kabelowsky, Jamie Michelle	Registered Nurse
ORDER0004958	4/11/2018	Hughes, Kimberly	Licensed Practical Nurse
ORDER0005688	4/10/2018	Sears, Lindsey N.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0005686	4/9/2018	Ceniceros, Sara K.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0005439	3/30/2018	Ruchti, Teresa D.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0000014	3/27/2018	Pullam, Jennifer L.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0004785	3/23/2018	Westlake, Stephanie L.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0004195	3/22/2018	Lee, Lolita	Registered Nurse
ORDER0004644	3/19/2018	Gunderson, Rachel L.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0005589	3/19/2018	Karczewski, Steven Jerome	Registered Nurse
ORDER0004644	3/19/2018	Gunderson, Rachel L.	Licensed Practical Nurse
ORDER0005657	3/19/2018	Kaphaem, Christopher M.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0004283	3/14/2018	Owens, Melissa R.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0003889	3/13/2018	Brown, Bridgette N.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0005467	3/13/2018	Brueckert, Christine M.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0005546	3/13/2018	Green-Schlafer, Stephanie S.	Registered Nurse

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ORDER0004978	3/13/2018	Lewis, Julie S.	Registered Nurse
LS0811062NUR	3/12/2018	Bender, Renee A.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0000885	3/12/2018	Malcomson, Annette M.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0005654	3/8/2018	Labar, Donna M.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0005652	3/8/2018	Dixon, Latasha M.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0005651	3/8/2018	Jeske, Necia A.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0005655	3/8/2018	Heim, Bobbi Jo A.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0005648	3/8/2018	Crump, Ann M.	Nurse - Midwife
ORDER0005647	3/8/2018	Nystrom, Carrie A.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0005650	3/8/2018	Kosnick, Christine M.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0005586	3/8/2018	Civitarese, Jennifer L.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0005653	3/8/2018	Brun, Angela M.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0005588	3/8/2018	Gollon, Jessica J.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0005648	3/8/2018	Crump, Ann M.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0002521	2/28/2018	Zwiebel, Rachel M.	Licensed Practical Nurse
ORDER0005267	2/27/2018	Vanderfin, Amanda M.	Licensed Practical Nurse
ORDER0005588	2/23/2018	Gollon, Jessica J.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0005018	2/23/2018	Rosenbaum, Jennifer Ann	Registered Nurse
ORDER0005550	2/13/2018	Nottelson, Sonja	Registered Nurse
ORDER0002520	2/12/2018	Reynolds, Brian J.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0000015	2/12/2018	Kuehl, Karla I.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0005297	2/12/2018	Genrich, Daphne Jane	Registered Nurse
LS0809042NUR	2/9/2018	Berry, Kathryn M.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0003731	2/9/2018	Troutman, Melissa R.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0005625	2/8/2018	Pike, Nicole R.	Licensed Practical Nurse
ORDER0005620	2/8/2018	Bondy, Adam E.	Licensed Practical Nurse
ORDER0005624	2/8/2018	Paetz, Colette M.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0005626	2/8/2018	Pocian, Bonnie L.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0004713	2/8/2018	Magnus, Randy James	Registered Nurse
ORDER0005627	2/8/2018	Wagner, Melanie S.	Licensed Practical Nurse
ORDER0005621	2/8/2018	Frasher, Deborah Lee	Registered Nurse
ORDER0005212	2/8/2018	Pikalek, Elizabeth M.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0005622	2/8/2018	Gonzalez, Tanya M.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0005564	2/8/2018	Behnke, Caitlin M.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0005621	2/8/2018	Frasher, Deborah Lee	Advanced Practice Nurse Prescriber
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ORDER0003114	2/5/2018	Wing, Amanda L.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0005366	2/2/2018	Fasbender, June L.	Licensed Practical Nurse
ORDER0005616	2/2/2018	Crownover, Taylor M.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0005552	2/2/2018	Wilson, Debra K.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0005618	2/2/2018	Kuntz, Mary E.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0004063	1/30/2018	Hayden, Katy Lynn	Registered Nurse
ORDER0003798	1/30/2018	Strube, Scott C.	Registered Nurse
ORDER0004594	1/29/2018	Vitrano, John J.	Licensed Practical Nurse
ORDER0004275	1/25/2018	Brandenburg, Amy C.	Registered Nurse

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